

State of Maine INSTRUCTIONS FOR VOTERS



HOW DO YOU MARK THE BALLOT?

MAKE A CROSS (X) OR A CHECK () IN THE BOX NEXT TO YOUR CHOICE(S), LIKE THIS:

BALLOT

OFFICE OF DOG CATCHER

- □ DOE, JANE Anytown

DID YOU MAKE A MISTAKE OR CHANGE YOUR MIND?

Ask the warden or election clerk for a new ballot. (You can do this up to 2 times.)

Make any changes <u>before</u> you put your ballot in the ballot box.

Don't erase or cross out your vote.

HOW DO YOU MAKE A WRITE-IN VOTE?

IF YOU WANT TO VOTE FOR A PERSON WHOSE NAME IS NOT ON THE BALLOT:

- 1. Write the person's **NAME AND MUNICIPALITY OF RESIDENCE** in the blank space at the end of the list of candidates for that office, **AND**
- 2. Make a cross (x) or a check (\checkmark) next to the write-in vote.
 - **○** Your vote WILL NOT be counted if you do not mark the box.
- Write-in stickers may ONLY be used in a primary election.

BALLOT

OFFICE OF DOG CATCHER

- □ DOE, JOHN Anytown
- □ DOE, JANE Anytown
- ☑ Mary Doe, Anytown

DO YOU NEED HELP VOTING?

If you can't read or mark the ballot – you can ask for help.

- You may bring a helper with you or
- Ask one or more election officials to help you.

TWO-SIDED BALLOTS

Your ballot may be printed on both sides.

- Please check your ballot to see if there is anything printed on the back as well as on the front.
- If it is a two-sided ballot, please be sure to <u>mark both</u> <u>sides</u> of the ballot.

BALLOT OFFICE OF DOG CATCHER	QUESTION NO. 1
	Γ YES
	□ NO
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(Front)	(Back)

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